(b) Travelling allowance—Rs. 1,40,000 (in round figures).

Insanitary condition of the Vallanghy tank.

89. Mr. A. Eachara Menon.—Will the Government be pleased to state—

(1) whether the condition of the Vallanghy tank in Nemmara has been brought to their notice ;

(2) whether many people do not use that tank for bathing purposes ;

(3) whether the tank is over-grown with green vegetation;

(4) whether it is in insanitary state ;

(5) how long is it since a part of its embankments had given way ;

(6) whether a portion of the embankment had given way this year also?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(1) Yes.

(2) Yes.
(3) Yes.
(4) Yes.

(5) Some 4 or 5 years back two portions of the embankments gave way ; but they were since repaired.

(6) Yes.

Mr. A. Eachara Menon.—How long has this tank been in this insanitary condition ?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—I do not know. It may be a few years. I want notice.

Mr. A. Eachara Menon.—Now that a Health Department has been established, will the Government be pleased to ask the Head of the Department to see to the sanitary condition of this tank ?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—Yes.

State Guests in 1108.

90. Mr. T. A Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to state the names of persons who were entertained as State Guests by the Government in 1108 and the amount spent for the entertainment of each?

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Rama Varmha Tampuran.—A list is given below.

S. No.	*Name.*	*Amount.*		
		Rs.	*As.*	*P.*
1	Chief Engineer for Irrigation, Madras	62	6	6
2	Dr. Arnold A. Bake	393	14	11
3	Mr. G. T. J. Thaddeus	11	14	0
4	Mr. R. S. Sarma	18	0	0
5	Mr. S. E. Renganathan	46	4	0
6	Sir Joseph Bhore	5,555	4	11
7	Sir T. Vijayaraghava Charya	2,695	3	10
8	The Crew of H. M. S. Enterprise	1,253	11	9

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